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Dear Harold --

Exduse the delay. What you have is a fine story. Our problem is that we are so damned swamped with current stuff we can't work on it. We could give it to an intern, but its difficult as a story, and I don't think we've got one who could do it justice. Even with the current angles, the intriguing Scott involvement, for ~~instance~~ instance, I can't get time go at it, and I know Jack's in the same boat. If someone else wants it, our feelings won't be hurt. Meanwhile, if I can get a day off or so, I'll take a crack at it -- I just don't know when that day might be.

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